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Applicants:

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For:

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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a Reply to the Office Action dated September 14, 2001 for 3 months from December 14, 2001 to March 14, 2002.

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